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We intend, for the future, to publish in this Paper, whatever shall come to our Hands, and will tend to instruct, and entertain our Readers, whether Moral, Natural, or Historical, &c. but nothing Political. To give the best Account of all Domestick Occurrences, by way of Journal; as also Extracts of what happens most remarkable Abroad, together with a List of the Ships, the Prices of Stocks, Names, and Descriptions of Bankrupts, &c. And, in general, whatever else can render a Paper of this Nature useful and acceptable.

AMBITION (I think it may be justly termed so) is an universal Distemper raging among Mankind; it begins to take its Seat in us at our Infancy, and keeps an equal Growth with us to a maturer Age. This, in my Opinion, should be plac'd in the first Rank of Vices; we commonly judge a Tree good or bad according to the Fruit it produceth, and certainly more fatal Consequences have not attended any Vice than this. Through what Seas of Blood have Mortals waded to get Possession of a Diadem, and gain the Reins of Government! The ambitious Tyrant, *Man*, is the Depopulator of the Universe, and stabs his bleeding Country, to climb up the highest Spoke of Fortune's Wheel, which keeping a perpetual Round, seldom fails to bring him to as low (nay oftentimes a lower) Condition than he was in before ——Pray let me know the mighty Pennyworth *Hannibal* received for all his Wars, after Fortune had so long seem'd to have smiled propitious on him, and blest his Arms with Success; after he made Things almost move against the Course of Nature to obey him; melted a Passage through the living Rocks; and after all his brave Exploits and Victories gain'd by such mighty Toils and Dangers, what rare fifth Act finish'd the blustering Play?——Why, in one set Battle he was intirely vanquished, forced to fly his Country, and in the Ring of that Sword, which had made such Havock among his fellow Mortals, to conceal a deadly Medicine, in Time of Need to put an End to a most miserable Life.——So here's an End of an ambitious Mortal, and those the Fruits of his Ambition.—— You'll pardon me for detaining you with this one Instance of its dire Effects in the highest Station.——My Design, here, is chiefly to reprehend this Vice in those of the lower Rank, and to prove that Station of Life they were born in, for the Generality, to be the properest, most suitable and convenient for them; and tho' if after all their longing Desires Fortune hands them up into an higher Rank, they will have Reason to blame their aspiring Wishes, be always like Fishes out of Water, and never be really settled till in their native Element. For the Proof of which I shall only entertain you with this one Instance:——

An elderly Gentleman, who by his Care and Industry had acquired a considerable Estate, had the Misfortune to have no Male Issue to succeed him, and enjoy it after his Death. His nighest Relation (and the only one of that Name) was a Nephew; a young gay conceited Coxcomb, not over well supplied with Sense and Good-Manners, extravagant, and given up to all the fashionable Vices of the Age.——The old Gentleman's Character was the direct contrary. In his Youth, he apply'd himself very much to his Study, got the Character of an ingenious, sensible Gentleman, which he mightily endeavoured to keep up, by picking out the best Morals to beautify his Life with all his indefatigable Industry had attained. His Temper was open, free, generous, and as well proof against Adversity, as never to be elated in the highest Tide of Prosperity. You must reasonably suppose, such a Person could not, but with great Reluctancy, leave his Estate to an Heir who would waste it away in Debauchery, Foppery, and the most extravagant Prodigality: This was no small Matter of Consideration; and as he had Reason to think himself now standing on the Brink of Life, it was high Time to nominate his Successor, and not to leave Things at Random to be scuffled for after his Decease. ——Well, as the first Step towards the furthering this weighty Affair, he sends for his Nephew, spends much Time in inveighing against that Course of Life he followed; but withal dressing his Argument with a soft Expression, mild Persuasions, and all the Demonstrations of Good-nature imaginable; shewing the fatal Consequences which attended a Life spent after that unhappy Manner, his Resolutions never to commit his Estate into the Hands of such an one, without clear Demonstrations of a sincere Conversion to a better Course; and that he'd do his Endeavour to have his Heir succeed him as well in his Virtues as his personal Estate and Riches.——But finding this Argument and all his Precepts in vain, he abandon'd all Thoughts of this Heir, and began to look out for a new one.——

Not long after, it was his Fortune to meet with a young Lad, a labouring Servant to one of his Tenants, a raw innocent Clown, and to his great Joy his Name-Sake; embracing this happy Opportunity, he lays open the whole Matter to his Tenant; briefly tells him he had taken a great Liking to the Youth, desired him to provide himself with another, and with a pecuniary Present wins his Consent. Then calls the Lad, and questions him concerning his Thoughts on changing his present Life for a more pleasant one with him, to quit his obscure Manner of Livelihood here down in the Country, and go with him up to Town, and taste the several Pleasures that afforded.——No one could express a greater Satisfaction than the Clown at this Proposal, his Soul was all on Fire with the Ambition of being placed in an higher Rank than his Kinsmen and Companions; he began now to look with Contempt on the mean Life (though indeed a very happy one) he had hitherto spent, proposing to himself how exceedingly happy he should be in the new Life he was now just entring upon, and with what Loathings he should ever after review the miserable Life he was now so miraculously delivered from, pleasing himself with the Submission his Fellow-Labourers, who were now so free with him, and so often used him with ill Treatment, would then cringe, and fawn, and think themselves highly honoured if admitted to a Minute or two's Conversation with him. With these, and many other the like Suggestions, he entertain'd himself, till the Gentleman took him up to *London* with him: And sure if ever any Mortal thought himself in a second Paradise, he did; the Newness, and the Variety of Objects which entertain'd his wandering Eyes, afforded a most inexpressible Delight. The Town appeared a most beautiful Stage, which was trod by numerous and entertaining *Dramatis Personæ*. About a Week thus pass'd on; the Gentleman was very much pleas'd with the Innocence of the Boy, and provides him a Tutor, cloaths him very handsomely, treats him at his own Table, and to make him conform the better with the Rules of Gentility, lets him learn to dance; in short, he spares no Cost and Pains to qualify him for that State of Life he now thought to place him in. We may now suppose a Quarter of a Year past.——The Clown now begins to grow sick of the Town, and longs to be nibling at his homely Diet in the Country; thinks the Town (he so lately looked upon with the greatest Delight and Satisfaction) an uncomfortable noisy Place. He longs to change the complimental Titles of *Sir* and *Madam*, to those innocent ones of *Gaffer* and *Gammer*. In short, he importunes his Benefactor to transmit him to his former Condition, shews himself more restless and uneasy every Day; and the Gentleman, finding it in vain to force him against his Inclination, sends him into the Country again; and dying, bequeaths his Estate towards the building of Alms-Houses, for the Relief of those whom Loss of Limbs or Sight had justly render'd Objects of Charity.——

Hence we may conclude, *Ex quovis Ligno non fit Mercurius*; *Jack* won't make a Gentleman; if we can but apply our Minds to Contentment, we shall live most happy in that State we seem by Nature intended for, and are born in. *P. B.*

Cunning of an Ape.

JOHN *Alam Weber* mentions, in his interesting Discourses, *Disc.* 13. *Observ.* 18. that it happened once, that the Domesticks of Pope *Julius* II. put Chesnuts upon burning Coals, and after they were thus roasted, took the Tongs from the Fire-side to fetch the Chesnuts from out of the Fire: An *Ape* being then in the Chamber, and having observed that one of the Chesnuts was still remaining upon a Coal, and willing to gratify his Appetite (the Servants being all call'd away) resolved to indulge himself with that Chesnut, as the Domesticks did with the others; but not finding instantly the Fire-Tongs, seized upon a Cat lying by the Fire Side, and made use of her two Fore-Paws to fetch out the Chesnut; no doubt fearing he should burn his own if he should make use of them: From whence the *Italian* Proverb derived: *Cavar la Castagna con la Estampa del Gatto*, directed at those, who with the Dangers and Damages of others, endeavour to provide for their own Safety.

The aforesaid *Weber* adds in the Place cited before, that many Persons have seen, that in the Province of *Peru*, the *Apes* converse with the Inhabitants very freely, and even play with them for Money: If they win they go with the *Peruans* to the Taverns, drink hearty and freely with them, and pay their Quotes as others.

Divers Kinds of Apes.

The *Apes* we see in *Europe* were chiefly brought out of *Africa*, where there are several Kinds. There are found in the Island of *Madagascar*, four Kinds of those Animals; as first, the common Sort, call'd *Vary*, being grey, with long Tails, and long Snouts; they cause Sport enough, but are utterly averse to being taught any Thing, and even can hardly be tamed. They must be catch'd when young; for if taken when they are old, they cannot forget their Liberty, and repine so much at the Loss of it, that they starve themselves to Death. Besides this common Sort of *Apes*, there is another Kind, which are grey, have short and fine Hair, and Eyes glittering like Fire; but are so hard to be taken, that they generally chuse being kill'd rather than losing their Liberty. The third grey Sort are very small, have crooked Noses, and are easily to be tamed. There are also found white *Sea-Cats*, or *Apes*, who have black Spots upon the Head and Body, and a pointed Fox's long Snout, but withal so grim and raving like a Tyger, that ten of them in a Wood make as great a Havock and boisterous Noise, as one would think them a Company of an Hundred together. These are call'd *Varykusty*, and are very large, whereas the white *Apes*, called *Seisack*, are much less, and by several Marks and other Accounts, easily distinguished from the former: The large Kind, call'd *Varykusty*, are indeed white, but their Heads are of a Colour like the Earth, their Tails white, and on both Sides of their Bodies mark'd with two Spots of the same Colour as their Heads. They go frequently erect upon their hind Legs, like unto Men, and far exceed in Size the grey ones.

In some Provinces of the aforementioned Island, there are also white *Apes* to be found, with white and spotted Tails of divers Colours, in Bigness not unlike the *Varykusty*, forty or fifty in a Troop together.

Guinea has more *Apes* than the Inhabitants care for; some of them having white Beards, black Faces, and spotted Skins, a black broad List upon their Backs, white Belly and black Tail, and some of them white Noses. They are catched with Nooses made of strong Ropes.

[Price THREE HALF-PENCE.]

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At *Sierre Lion* there are a Kind of *Apes* called *Baris*; they have ſtrong Limbs, and are ſo ſuſceptible of learning and being teach'd almoſt any Thing, that if they are caught when young, they will labour and do the Service of Mankind, ſeeing they generally go upon their hind Legs, fetch Water from the Rivers, carrying the ſame in Veſſels upon their Heads; and if they chance to let them drop, and ſpill the Water, they begin to cry and lament their Miſchance. They are uſed to pound ſeveral Things in Mortars, turn the Spit, wait at Table, and fill Glaſſes, and divert the Company with Tumbling, and the like.

SATURDAY, *October* 21.

YESTERDAY was Se'nnight came on the Election for a Mayor of *Cheſter* for the Year enſuing; the Candidates were Alderman *Johnſon* and Alderman *Elams*, ſupported by the *Groſvenor* Intereſt; and Alderman *Mainwaring* and Alderman *Bennett*, ſet up by Mr. *Brereton* and Mr. *Manley*: The Poll continued till Four o'Clock on Monday in the Afternoon, when the Mob obliged them to cloſe the Books, and immediately afterwards forced the Mayor and Recorder into a Coffee-houſe, which they inſtantly attack'd, and broke open the Door with Iron Crows, ſeiz'd the Sword, Mace, and White Staff, and carried them to Alderman *Bennett*'s, committing the vileſt Outrages imaginable: On Tueſday (the *Inſignia* being reſtored, the Court ſate again; and upon caſting up the Books the Poll ſtood thus: For Alderman *Johnſon* 1097, for Alderman *Ellams* 1095, for Alderman *Mainwaring* 858, for Alderman *Bennett* 858. No Scrutiny being demanded, the former was ſworn into the Office: The ſame Day Mr. *Edward Nicholls* and Mr. *William Edwards*, were, without Oppoſition, elected Sheriffs. This has been for ſome Months the warmeſt Conteſt that was ever known in *Cheſter*: There appear'd in the *Groſvenor* Intereſt eight Baronets, five High Sheriffs of Counties, and upwards of 120 Eſquires, beſides ſeveral Members of Parliament. Above fifty Freemen, Friends to the *Groſvenor* Family, were prevented from polling by the Violence of the Mob, and ſome threaten'd to be murder'd if they ſtirred out of their Houſes. Alderman *Johnſon*'s Election has occaſion'd great Joy to thoſe who wiſh well to the true Intereſt of that antient and loyal City; and upon the Cockades, worn on that Occaſion, was expreſſed the following Motto:

Civitatis Salus, Patria non venalis.

We have an Account from *Turin*, that the Counteſs of *Eſſex* was ſafely delivered there of a Son and Heir, to the great Joy of that noble Family.

On Thurſday laſt two Watermen took a Fare at the *Tower-Wharf*, and carried them on board the Ship *Cæſar* at *Deptford*, appointed to carry the Tranſports to his Majeſty's Plantations in *America*, they going to take Leave of a Friend; at their coming away one of the Watermen taking hold of a ſlack Rope going over the Side, fell overboard between the Ship and a Lighter along-ſide, and was drowned.

On Tueſday laſt one *White*, a Bricklayer, going home to Dinner, at his Lodgings over-againſt *Blenheim-Houſe* in *Oxford-Road*, and finding the Street-Door ſhut, he deſir'd the next Neighbour to let him go out at the One-Pair of Stairs Window, in order to get into his own; but the Slates, with which the Penthouſe was cover'd, giving Way, he fell Head-foremoſt on the Pavement; ſeveral Surgeons were immediately ſent for, who found his Skull crack'd all round, and he died the ſame Night.

Yeſterday the Body of a Man well dreſt was taken out of the *Serpentine-River* in *Hyde-Park*.

Mr. *Clear*, a Shop-keeper in *Croydon*, who had been ſome Time miſſing from his Family, was found dead a few Days ago, hanging on a Tree in *Norwood*.

Yeſterday a Country-like Gentleman came to the *Dolphin-Inn* without *Biſhopſgate*, and hang'd himſelf in a Room; it is unknown at preſent, who he is, or from whence he came: He left theſe two Lines upon the Table in the Room, which, compared with ſome Writings in his Pocket, proves to be his own Hand.

From wicked and deceitful Men,
A broken Heart, and a diſtracted Brain.

We hear from *Waltham* in *Leiceſterſhire*, near *Melton-Mowbray*, that a Maſon's Daughter, about Eleven Years of Age, is poſſeſſed with an Evil Spirit, in ſuch a Manner, as to throw her out of Bed into Fits, and pinching Bits of Fleſh out of her Arms, *&c.* and has twice put her Collar Bone out: She is thrown into Fits often, and lies as one dead, and at the ſame Time there is ſuch a knocking, and thundering Noiſe, (ſometimes at the Door, but oftner near the Child) as is terrible to all about her; and if any Perſon bids the Spirit knock any Number of Times, or to any Tune, it certainly does ſo. Moſt of the Clergy and other People of Note thereabouts, particularly the Lord *How*, have had the Girl at their own Houſes, and have all proved it to be no Fallacy or Impoſition. All the Account ſhe gives when ſhe comes out of her Fits, is, that ſhe is carried into a Wood, and tormented by three Perſons.

Yeſterday Morning a certain *Iriſh* Gentleman was taken up by a Warrant under the Hand and Seal of Sir *John Gonſon*, being charg'd on Oath to have cheated and defrauded a young Gentleman of *Lincoln's-Inn* of ſeveral hundred Pounds, with falſe Dice: The Gentleman at firſt ſeem'd to defy the Law, and refuſed to give Bail; but his Mittimus being made to *Newgate*, he became bound in a Recognizance, himſelf in 400l. with two Sureties in 200l. to appear at the next Seſſions, to anſwer to an Indictment, which will be preferr'd againſt him for this Offence, upon the Statute of 9 Queen *Anne*, Cap. 14. whereby any Perſon that by Fraud or ill Practice gets or wins at any one Time at Play above 10l. forfeits five Times the Value, and is to ſuffer corporal Puniſhment as in Caſes of Perjury, and be deem'd infamous.

Marriage. On Thurſday Mr. *Wicks* an eminent Brewer in *Whitecroſs-ſtreet*, was married to Mrs. *Ireland* of *Mile-End*, a Widow Gentlewoman of good Accompliſhments, with a Fortune of 10,000l.

Deaths. Yeſterday Morning died, at his Houſe in *Camberwell*, Mr. *Nicholas Farrs*, an eminent Merchant of this City.——Laſt Thurſday Evening died on *Ludgate-Hill*, Mr. *Thomas Launder*, Colonel of the Lumber-Troop many Years.——Yeſterday died Capt. *Cranwell*, at his Houſe at *Shad Thames*——Laſt Week died, at his Seat near *Doncaſter* in *Yorkſhire*, Sir *George Cooke*, of *Wheatley*, Bart.

MONDAY, *October* 23.

Yeſterday being the Anniverſary of the Birth-Day of her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Royal, who then enter'd into the 25th Year of her Age, there was a ſplendid Appearance of the Nobility and Gentry at *Kenſington*, to compliment their Majeſties and her Royal Highneſs on that Occaſion.

The Contribution or Bounty Money, uſually given to the Huntſmen on *Holy-Rood* Day, having not then been collected, *Francis Whitworth*, Eſq; Surveyor of the King's private Roads, held the Purſe on Saturday Morning laſt, and a Collection of about 200l. was made on the Spot, their Majeſties giving 50 Guineas, and the Prince, Princeſs Royal, the Duke, and the other Princeſſes 50 Guineas, and the Miniſters of State and others of the Nobility, moſtly five Guineas a-piece.

Laſt Night her Grace the Dutcheſs of *Devonſhire* was ſafely deliver'd of a Son, at the Duke's Houſe in *Piccadilly*.

On Saturday Night laſt a Skiff with three Sailors in it, going thro' Bridge, and the Tide running very fierce, the Skiff was thereby overſet, and the Sailors forc'd to ſwim; one of them was drowned, and the other two attained the Shore with great Difficulty.

The ſame Morning an elderly Woman was found drowned in the new Pond belonging to the *New-River* Water Company near *Iſlington*.

Commitments. An Oyſter-Woman to *New-Priſon*, for ſtabbing her Husband with an Oyſter-Knife in the Arm, the Depth of three Inches, of which he now lies paſt Hopes of Recovery.——A Man to *Newgate* from *Uxbridge*, for robbing many of the Inhabitants of that Town of Linnen.——Another Man to *Newgate*, for the Highway.

Marriages. *James Manwairing*, Eſq; was married laſt Week at *Farnham* in *Surry* to Miſs *Mills*, a Lady of 8000l. Fortune.——As was at the ſame Place Miſs *Manwairing*, Siſter to the aforeſaid Gentleman, to *William Branſon*, Eſq; a young Lady of 6000l. Fortune.

Deaths. On Saturday laſt died at *Clapham* in *Surry*, *Thomas Skinner*, Eſq; one of the Coal-Meters of this City.——On Friday laſt died ——— *Ewer*, Eſq; at *Richmond*.

Bankrupt. *William Wood*, late of *Southwark*, in the County of *Surry*, Founder.

TUESDAY, *October* 24.

On Sunday Night laſt the Hon. *George Doddington*, Eſq; Member of Parliament for *Bridgewater*, and one of the Lords of the Treaſury, arrived at his Houſe in *Pall-Mall*, from his Travels in *Italy*. He was Yeſterday at Court to wait on their Majeſties, and met with a gracious Reception.

Yeſterday being the firſt Day of *Michaelmas* Term, the Lord Chancellor, and Judges, with the Serjeants at Law, and King's Council, went from the Lord Chancellor's Houſe to *Weſtminſter-Hall*, where the Courts were open'd by them reſpectively.

In the Mayoralty of Sir *Francis Child*, Knt. 582 Perſons have been indicted at the *Old Bailey*, of which Number 70 have received Sentence of Death, 208 been order'd for Tranſportation, eight fin'd, impriſon'd, or pillory'd, four burnt in the Hand, four whipt, and 288 acquitted by the Juries.

On Saturday laſt begun the Diverſion at *Newmarket* for the ſecond Meeting, with a great Match between the Duke of *Bolton*'s *Fearnought*, and Mr. *Panton*'s *Mouſe*, for near 4000l. a Side; the Odds, before they ſtarted, in Favour of *Mouſe*, were Five to Two; and Seven to One was laid while they were running, *Fearnought* being ſome Lengths behind *Mouſe*, which led till within a Quarter of the Winning-Poſt, when *Fearnought* took the Lead, and won the Match. The ſame Day a Match was run for 50l. by Mr. *Fleetwood*'s Horſe, and a Horſe belonging to Mr. *Scath*, Groom to the Earl of *Portmore*; and it was won by the former.

On Saturday Morning Mr. *Whittle*, an eminent Velvet-Weaver at *Windmill-Hill*, who had been much afflicted with a Quinſey in his Throat for ſome Time, was taken dangerouſly ill, and at Two o'Clock in the Morning he awaked his Wife to ſend a Servant for a Surgeon; but not being able to contain himſelf in Bed, he aroſe, opened the Door, went into the Street, and died immediately.

Robbery. Laſt Saturday a Mate of an *Eaſt-India* Ship on his Road to *Chatham*, was attacked by two Highwaymen, and he reſiſting them, they beat him in ſo violent a Manner, that his Life is deſpair'd of: They took from him a Note of Hand for 30l.

Commitments. A Man to *Newgate*, for Horſe-ſtealing.——Two Women to the *Gatehouſe*, for Felony.——Two Men to *Buckingham* Goal, on Suſpicion of having robbed the *Worceſter* Stage-Coach ſeveral Times.

Preferments. The Rev. *Thomas Mountgatryd*, D. D. was lately preſented by the Lord Chancellor to the Vicarage of *Lofthouſe* in the County and Dioceſe of *York*, void by the Reſignation of the laſt Incumbent.——Mr. *Salter*, Son of Mr. *Salter*, is appointed to ſucceed his Father, as one of the Clerks of the Spicery.

Marriage. On Thurſday laſt *Philip Mitchel*, Eſq; a young Gentleman lately arrived from the *Eaſt-Indies*, and Nephew to the Lady *Matthews* of *Twickenham*, was married to a young Lady of great Merit, with a Fortune of 4000l.

Deaths. *Joſeph Brown* of *Shepton-Mallet*, in the County of *Somerſet*, Eſq; died laſt Tueſday was Se'nnight.——The new-born Daughter of *Joſeph Banks*, Eſq; Repreſentative in Parliament for the City of *Peterborough*, died laſt Saturday.

WEDNESDAY, *October* 25.

Several of the eldeſt Captains and Lieutenants, *&c.* in his Majeſty's Navy have been ſummoned by Order of the Right Hon. the Lords of the Admiralty, to appear at the Admiralty-Office, *Whitehall*, on the 1ſt of next Month, in order to ſettle a Corporation or Society for the Relief of the poor Officers Widows belonging to his Majeſty's Navy, purſuant to his Majeſty's gracious Commiſſion for that Purpoſe.

Yeſterday there was a Board of Admiralty, when their Lordſhips were pleaſed to admit eight poor diſabled Seamen into the Penſion of *Greenwich-Hoſpital*, in the room of the like Number deceaſed. All the new Apartments in the ſaid Hoſpital being completed and near finiſhed, the ſame being laid before their Lordſhips, we hear that at *Chriſtmas* next their Lordſhips will compleat the Number of Penſioners in the ſaid Hoſpital, which, according to the Plan, is to amount to 1000 common Men, beſides Officers; there being alſo a Captain and a Lieutenant to be added.

Laſt Night one Mr. *Holly Hanſell* fell from a Lighter into the *Thames*, and was drowned.

On Monday laſt was launched at the late Mr. *Weſt*'s Dock at *Deptford*, a new Ship, Burden about 560 Tons, for Capt. *Caleb Grantham*, in the *Eaſt-India* Company's Service.

Yeſterday one *Hamilton*, who ſome Time ſince broke out of the *Gatehouſe*, *Weſtminſter*, was re-taken by Mr. *Bignold*, and carried back to the ſaid Priſon.

Commitment. A Man to *Newgate*, being charged with ſeveral Robberies on the Highway near *Enfield*.

Preferments. His Majeſty has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint *Chriſtopher Montague*, *John Wheteham*, *Roger Gale*, *Charles Pollhill*, *John Fowle*, *Thomas Wylde*, *James Vernon*, *Robert Eyre*, and *Humphry Thayer*, Eſqs; to be his Majeſty's Commiſſioners for the Receipt and Management of his Majeſty's Revenue of Exciſe in *England*, *Wales*, and Town of *Berwick* upon *Tweed*.——His Majeſty has been pleaſed to grant unto *Thomas Walker*, Eſq; the Office of Surveyor-General of all his Majeſty's Land-Revenues in *England* and *Wales*.

Death. On Monday laſt died Mr. *Clark*, at his Habitation in *Philpot-Lane*, a noted Merchant of this City.

Bankrupts. James Bealey, of *Hornchurch* in the County of *Eſſex*, Chapman.——*John Beaumont*, late of St. *John* in the County of *Middleſex*, Diſtiller and Chapman.——*William Wheeler*, late of *Shoreham* in the County of *Kent*, Malſter.——*Aſher Levy*, of *Throgmorton-ſtreet*, *London*, Merchant.——*Philip Hall*, of *Gray's-Inn Paſſage* in the Pariſh of St. *George the Martyr* in the County of *Middleſex*, Victualler.——*William Barnes*, of *Whitechapel* in the County of *Middleſex*, Tobacconiſt.

THURSDAY, *October* 26.

Yeſterday in the Forenoon Sir *John Eyles*, Bart. together with ſeveral of the Directors of the *South-Sea* Company, went in a Body to wait upon his Excellency the *Conte Mantijo*, Ambaſſador Extraordinary from the Court of *Spain*, at his Houſe in *Jermyn-ſtreet*, on Occaſion of the News they received a Day or two ago by a Ship from *Campechy*, that the King of *Spain*'s Orders were come to *Vera Cruz* for the *South-Sea* Company's Factor to depart that Place in four Months Time; becauſe his Majeſty's Ship *Deal-Caſtle*, Capt. *Aubin*, had ſeiz'd a *Spaniſh* Regiſter Ship, by way of a Repriſal: His Excellency receiv'd them in a moſt courteous and polite Manner, and promis'd to write inſtantly to his Court upon this Subject. The ſaid Directors have alſo preſented a Memorial to his Grace the Duke of *Newcaſtle* upon the ſame Subject.

The Right Hon. the Earl of *Harborough*, who died laſt Week at his Houſe in *Brewer-ſtreet*, *Golden-Square*, hath left his Gentleman 100l. *per Ann.* for his Life, and 40l. to bury him; to three other Servants 8l. *per Ann.* a Houſe, and 20l. for Mourning; and to all the others 10l. each.

A few Days ago a very melancholy Accident happened at a little Village called *Kinver* in *Staffordſhire*; a poor Woman wanting ſome Yeaſt, left her three Children in the Houſe, and lock'd the Door while ſhe went to fetch it: In the mean Time the two eldeſt Children ſet Fire to the Houſe with Bean Straw, whereby the youngeſt, who was in a Cradle, was burnt to Aſhes; and the other two, who went up Stairs to ſecure themſelves from the Flames, were found dead upon the Bed, Arm in Arm, having been ſuffocated by the Smoke; The Sight of this dreadful Cataſtrophe ſo terrified the unhappy Woman, who was big with Child, that ſhe miſcarried, and lies dangerouſly ill.

Yeſterday in the Afternoon a Tapſter at the *Sun* Alehouſe in *Threadneedle-ſtreet*, fell from the Top of the *New Bank*, and died ſoon after.

The ſame Day came on before the Right Hon. the Lord Chief Juſtice *Eyre*, at the Court of *Common Pleas*, *Weſtminſter*, the Affair between the Warden of the *Fleet* Priſon and Mr. *Philip Beck*, a Priſoner in the ſaid Goal, on a Motion made by Mr. *Beck*'s Counſel to be diſcharged, he being only detained on Account of an Attachment which was granted againſt him and 59 more Priſoners in the ſaid Goal the laſt Term, for a Contempt of the Court, in diſobeying the Rule of Court, by ſelling Victuals and Liquors in the Goal to the Priſoners, contrary to the antient Cuſtom of the ſaid Goal, without Leave of the Warden, and for ſigning a Paper or Contract with other 59, in Defiance of the ſaid Order, and breeding a Tumult in the ſaid Goal. After ſeveral Arguments by the Counſel, the Court was pleaſed to fine him only 5l. for the ſaid Contempt, on his acknowledging his Fault, asking Pardon, and paying Coſts to the Warden, who agreed to take 15 Guineas in Court; which he agreeing to, he was ordered to be diſcharged.——The ſame Day a Motion was made in the ſaid Court, for the Diſcharge of a Priſoner in the *Fleet* according to the late Act of Parliament, for Inſolvent Debtors, on the delivering up all their Effects, to be diſcharged; but the Plaintiff appearing, and giving the Priſoner a Note in Court to pay him 2s. 4d. *per* Week, according to the ſaid Act, and giving him 2s. 4d. for the firſt Week, the Court remanded him back to Priſon, to be continued purſuant to the ſaid Act.

The Barbers and Peruke-Makers having, as we hear, had ſeveral Meetings, in order to form a Scheme to amend a broken Conſtitution, it will not be improper to inſert ſome of the Reaſons which are offer'd in their Favour, *viz.*

I. They urge, That a much greater Quantity of Oil and Powder is now uſed than formerly.

II. That Hair-Powder is now at double the Price it formerly was.

III. That the Combing of a Peruke, according to the preſent Faſhion, takes up thrice the Time it formerly did.

IV. That the Returns in the Peruke-making Trade are much leſs than formerly, and the Profits, in Proportion, leſs.

V. That, as the Caſe now ſtands, the Trade, though in a declining Condition, pays the whole Duty laid upon Starch; which, it is preſumed, was intended to be born by the Cuſtomer. Circumſtances being thus altered, and the Conſequences thereof becoming intollerable to the Trade, it is propoſed:

That for ſhaving twice a Week, and combing a Peruke every Day, not leſs than 15s. *per* Quarter, will be ſufficient to defray the Expence of Oil, Powder, Servants, Rent, Linnen, *&c.* with a very little Profit; and for ſhaving thrice a Week, *&c.* 20s. and ſo in Proportion for any greater or leſſer Number of Times: And it deſerves an Increaſe of 2s. 6d. *per* Quarter, at leaſt, from Gentlemen who will be ſhaved at their own Houſes; and alſo an Increaſe from thoſe who powder extraordinary It is alſo propoſed, That the Trade deſire their Cuſtomers to diſpenſe with their not buckling any Peruke which they have not made, it having been often ſuggeſted, that Perukes have been deſignedly ſpoiled, when they have been buckled in the Shop where they were not made.

Robberies. Yeſterday Morning a Gentleman was robbed by a ſingle Highwayman on *Finchley-Common*, of his Watch and Money.——The ſame Morning a Woman was robbed behind Sir *George Whitmore*'s, of 1s. 7d. and a Silver Thimble.—On Tueſday laſt about Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, ſome Rogues got over the Garden-Wall of *Holland-Houſe* near *Kenſington*, and ſtole a Number of Cambrick Handkerchiefs, Value 10l. belonging to *William Morrice*, Eſq; from the Lines and Buſhes as they were hanging to dry, whilſt the Family were at Dinner, and got off undiſcover'd.——Yeſterday about Five o'Clock in the Evening, Mr. *White* of *Burntwood* in *Eſſex*, going under *Aldgate*, had his Pocket pick'd of a Purſe, having in it eight Guineas, a Moidore, and ſome Silver.

Commitments. A Woman to *Newgate*, for robbing her Lodgings of Goods to the Value of 40l.——A Man to the ſame Goal, charg'd with robbing a Gentleman on the Highway near *Colcheſter* in *Eſſex*.

Preferments. The Rev. Mr. *James Norton* was lately preſented by the Lord Chancellor to the Vicarage of St. *Leonard* in *Wallingford*, in the County of *Berks*, void by the Promotion of the laſt Incumbent.——As was the Rev. Mr. *John Sandiſh*, A. B. to the Vicarage of *Saddington*, in the County *Leiceſter*, void by the Reſignation of the laſt Incumbent.

Marriage. A few Days ſince Sir *William Humble*, of *Thorpe-Underwood* in *Northamptonſhire*, Bart. was married to Miſs *Vane*, one of the Daughters of the Right Hon. the Lord *Barnard*.

Deaths. On Sunday laſt died at St. *Alban*'s, Mr. *Jervice*, formerly an eminent Diſtiller in *Old-ſtreet*.——Mr. *Morrice*, Upper-Beadle of *Barbers-Surgeons-Hall*, died on Tueſday Night laſt.

FRIDAY, *October* 27.

On Monday next the chief Miniſters of State, Judges, and other Perſons of Diſtinction, meet at the Council-Chamber at the *Cockpit*, *Whitehall*, and from thence proceed in their Coaches to dine with the Right Honurable the Lord Mayor at *Guildhall*.

The ſame Day his Grace the Duke of *Newcaſtle* gives a great Entertainment to many of the Nobility and Foreign Miniſters from the Princes in the *Southern* Province; as does the Right Hon. the Lord *Harrington* to ſeveral of the Nobility and Miniſters of the *Northern* Province, in Honour of his Majeſty's Birth-Day.

On Wedneſday laſt a young Gentleman, Groom of the Chambers to the Counteſs of *Stafford*, being diſorder'd in his Senſes, cut his Throat at *Mortlack*; and Yeſterday the Coroner's Inqueſt ſat upon his Body, and brought in their Verdict, *Lunacy*.

Laſt Night two Children, whoſe Father is a Shoemaker in *Whitecroſs-ſtreet*, playing together, fell out, the one ſnatch'd up a working Knife, and unfortunately ſtabbed the other in the Belly, inſomuch that Part of the Child's Entrals came out.

On Tueſday laſt at the Horſe-Races at *Newmarket*, a Galloway of Sir *Nathaniel Curzon*'s walked over the Courſe for the Noblemen and Gentlemens Contribution, amounting to 46 Guineas, no other Galloway being entered. The Earl of *Portmore*'s *Daffodil* has paid the Forfeit to Mr. *Coke*'s *Silver Locks*. On Wedneſday the Duke of *Bridgewater*'s *Nathan* beat Mr. *Cornwallis*'s *Poſt-Boy*, the four Mile Courſe, for 300 Guineas.

Mr. *Martin*, at the *Ram-Crow* Alehouſe in *Eaſt-Cheap*, coming to Town on Wedneſday Morning laſt, from *Kick's-End*, was met by two Gentlemen on Horſeback, who inform'd him, if he proceeded any farther on that Road, he muſt play at Cups and Balls, for there were ſix Men, two on Horſeback and four on foot, who had obliged ſeveral that would not play, to deliver their Money, by preſenting a Piſtol to their Breaſt, as they had been ſerved juſt before; upon which, Mr. *Martin*, having a conſiderable Charge about him, thought it adviſeable to take a different Road, and ſo eſcaped them.

The Number of Felons Convicts that were carried Yeſterday from *Newgate* to *Black-Fryars*, and put on board a Lighter in order to be carried down the River to be ſhipp'd on board the *Cæſar* off of *Deptford*, for Tranſportation to *Virginia*, were 68 Men and 50 Women; but one of the Men, named *Richard Watſon*, an old Offender, made his Eſcape in the *Old Bailey* as he was going to the Lighter, by ſlipping his Hand out of the Hand-cuff, and running towards *Ludgate-Hill*, got clear off. The Lighter went through Bridge Yeſterday Morning about Five o'Clock, when ten Priſoners, *viz.* ſeven Men and three Women, were brought on board the Lighter from St. *Tooley*'s-*Stairs*, have come from the *New-Goal* in *Southwark* in order for Tranſportation with the others.

Yeſterday came on the new Election of a Beadle for *Lime-ſtreet* Ward, when the ſame Candidates, who on a former Poll were equal, put up again, and on caſting up the Poll, the Numbers were as follow, *viz.* for Mr. *Hughes* 82, for Mr. *Thompſon* 66.

It is written from *Cadiz* of the 14th of *O.S. N.S.* that they were delivering the Effects and Treaſure brought from *Vera Cruz* by the *Azogues*, but had not begun to deliver the Treaſure brought by the *Puerto* Man of War from *Porto Bello*.

Robbery. On Tueſday Night laſt towards the Duſk of the Evening, ſome Rogues found Means to convey themſelves into the Houſe of Mr. *Chace*, a Taylor in *Church-Court*, *Kenſington*, and ſtole in Linnen and wearing Apparel to the Value of 20l. and got off.

Commitments. A Man to *Newgate*, for a Street Robbery.——Tueſday Morning Mr. *Henry Purcell*'s Houſe near St. *George*'s Church, *Southwark*, was broke open and robbed of Pewter and ſeveral other Goods; but the Rogues were purſued and taken upon *London-Bridge*, and committed to the *Compter*.

Preferment. The Right Rev. the Lord Biſhop of *London*, has appointed the Rev. Mr. *Boleander* to be Chaplain of the *Lutheran* Church at St. *James's*.

Marriage. Laſt Week the Earl of *Deleraine* was married to the Relict of ——— *Hearſon*, Eſq; a *Lincolnſhire* Gentleman, and the Daughter of ——— *Liſter*, of *Burwell* in the ſame County, Eſq;

Death. Laſt Week died, at his Brother Major *Sawle*'s in *Cornwall*, Mr. *Francis Sawle*, an eminent Woolen-Draper in the *Strand*, reputed worth about 20,000l.

High Water at *London-Bridge*, Saturday the 28th of *Oct.* at 6 28 in the Morning, and 6 53 in the Afternoon.

Sund.	7	21	Morn.	7	50	Aft.	Wedn.	10	1	Morn.	10 30
Mon.	8	16		8	42		Thurſ.	10	58		11 24
Tu.	9	8		9	35		Friday	11	49		12

SHIP NEWS.

The Proſperous, Adam Rigdon, bound from *Steckholm* to *Briſtol*, loſt on the Coaſt of *Holland*; the Crew all drowned, Part of the Cargo ſaved. The Endeavour, Capt. Pike, bound from *Peal* to *Newcaſtle*, loſt near *Hamburgh*.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Cadiz, Oct. 14. *Arrived* Hary, Hill, from *Malaga*; Lively, Kerby, *Newfoundland*; Antelope, Grover, *Peterſburgh*. *Sailed* Providence, Clark, for *London*.

Leghorn, Oct. 14. *Arrived* Littlepage, Wilſon; Levant, Harper; Sandwich, Rogers; Eagle, Hilliard, from *England*; George, Eyres; Tower, Wingfield; Thomas, Pipon, *Newfoundland*; Bauff Merchant, Wood; Jane, Boddicomb, *Streights*; Boſpherous, Richards; Providence, Arnold, *London*.

Arrived at *Peterſburgh* the Ford's Green, Curling; St. Petersburgh, Raikes, at *Dantzick*; Sarah, Belſour, at *Hamburgh*; Henrietta, Maria; George, Behn; Lady Suſanna. Vancrecken, at *Bremen*; Catherine, Bowman, at *Holland*; London Poſt, Woolſe; Chandois, Jewers; Lamenting, Frazier, *all from London*. The Royal Exchange, Talbot, bound to *Jamaica*, was well off *Nevis* the 28th of Aug. At *Maryland* is *arrived* the Leah, Howes; and at *Newfoundland* the Thomas, Alliſon, both from *London*.

Alicant, Oct. 15. *Arrived* Durell, Durell; Doddington, Gaden; White-Horſe, Keat; Two Brothers, Meſurzir, from *Newfoundland*; Mary, Homans; Happy Rebecca, Mangier, *Canſo*; Willingmind, Quaile, *Bridgewater*; Dolobella, Stephens; Swift, Ducket; the Coaſt, Samuel and Luke, Orchard, *Cork*.

Malaga, Oct. 16. *Arrived* Ann, Mews; Seaflower, Mervin; Mary, Creak; Favourite, Heading; Fanny, Stafford; Pearle, Diamond; Charles and Ann, Golden;

Prince of Wales, Eaglesfield. *Sailed for England* the Freegift, Gregory; Thomas and Rebecca, Bowles; Endeavour, Dewitt; Salisbury, Smith; and several others.

Barcelona, Oct. 19. N. S. Last Week *arrived* the Susannah, New, from *Briſtol*; Martha, Thoume, *New-England*; Cecilia, Molly, *Lisbon*; Three Friends, Buntead, *Cork*.

HOME PORTS.

Hull, Oct. 21 *Arrived* in the *Humber* and Ports adjacent Happy-Entrance, Foſter; Thomas and Suſannah, Hill; Betty and Mary, Southern, from the *Baltick*.

Yarmouth, Oct. 21. *Arrived* ——, Harnet; Succeſs, Dunkin; Merry Jack, Granger; Delight, Bailey; Ann, Keeble; Friend's Adventure, Manby, *Baltick*.

Newcaſtle, Oct. 14. *Arrived* Endeavour, Harriſon, from *Petersburgh*.

Falmouth, Oct. 21. *Arrived* Florence, Coleman, from *Newfoundland*; Chatfield and Jolliffe, Chatfield, from *Pool* for *Carolina*; the William, Oak, *St. Roma* for * Oſtend*. *Sailed* Ann, Blewet; Princeſs Mary, Bolitho, *Streights*.

Plymouth, Oct. 22. *Arrived* Somers, Badart; Three-Siſters, Holmes, from *Newfoundland*; Bootle, Hollow, *St. Kitts*; Mary, Sparrow, *St. Chriſtopher's*; Jolliffe, *London*; Phœnix, Underdown, *Virginia*.

Cowes, Oct. 23. *Arrived* St. Joſeph, De Burzo, from *Bilboa*; Elizabeth, Randal, *Maryland*; *Put in outward bound* Beaver, Smith, for *New York*; Totneis, Sleigh; Tagus, Thomwgood, *Lisbon*; Spaniſh Town Factor, Gray, *Jamaica*; Edward and Mary, Hammon, *Faro*; Proſperity, Cummins, *Guinea*; Dolphin, Power, *Hazre*.

Deal and Gravſend, Oct. 25. *Arrived* Seahorſe, Green; Amity's Increaſe, Maling; Prince Frederick, Gray; Greyhound, Spanton; Chriſtian, Philpot; Thanet, Granger; St. Cecilia, Meum; Induſtry, Spencer; Succeſs, Dunkin; Golden May, Hammond; Teneriffe, Woodrop; Bleſſing, Nairn; Riga-Merchant, Haſwell; Bearkey Factor, Maſterman; Young Prince, Ladd; Joſias, Hales; Swan, Piercy; Succeſs, Caxen; George and Benjamin, Cogrove, from the *Baltick*; Freclove, Walker; Three Brothers, Kellett, *Norway*; William and Thomas, Haworth; Hamburgh-Packet, Mitchell; Robert, Brown, St. John the Evangelift, Wittigrove, *Hamburgh*; London, Goſe; Aldbury, Newton, *Oſtend*; Wellington, Conway; Charles and Mary, Curtis; Hiam, Chriſtian; Betty, Conway; Lady Elizabeth, Brodenus; Lady Margaret, Barents; Lady Elizabeth, Barents; Dolphin, Collins, *Holland*; Joſeph and Jane, Bennet; Hatley, Mitchel; Baltimore, Hoxton; York, Harrard; Diggs, Dancey; Ruby, Cudlip; Kent, Burrows, *America*; Hungerford, Sutton; Nonpareil, Newton; Britannia, Moulton; Jenny, Lighton; St. Andrew, Applelee; Ann, Hunt; *Weſt-Indies*. *All the outward bound in our laſt are ſailed* with the Chetwynd, Brown; Hopewell, Miſſant, for *America*; Joſeph, Rowe; Mercury, Campbell, *Jamaica*; William and Ann, Maine, *St. Kitts*; William, Long; Don Carlos, Cole; Empreſs, Joad; Lewis, Pierſon; Petersburgh, Nanſam; Betty, Day; Haſwell, Brooks; Charles, Steward; Friend's Goodwill, Kenniday; Induſtrious, Cuſh, *Streights*; Gallant Scheemer, Burchall, *Guinea*; Gallant Enterprize, Combs; Marmaduke, Areſkino, *Portugal*; Mayflower, Robertſon; Happy Greave, Ware; Endeavour, Scot, *Conſtantz*; and his Majeſty's Sloop the Spy; Monkee, Curtis, for *Liſbon*; Mary, Shrift, *Streights*; Amelia, Hereert, *Jamaica*; Kirwan, Gander, *Nevis*. *Remain* Terrible Man of War; Expedition, Gregory, for *Guinea*; Oak, Burrows, for *St. Chriſtopher's*.

Winds at *Deal, Oct.* 19 SSE. 20, 21, 22 S. 23 SSE. 24 Calm, 25 Calm.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Hague, Oct. 7. N. S.

WE have received Advice, that there is a Society formed at *Vienna*, of *Engliſh*, *Dutch*, and *Italians*, who have drawn a Project for reforming, amending, and improving the Commerce of all the Emperor's Dominions. This Plan has been preſented to the *Imperial* Court, who have it now actually under Conſideration.

Extract of a Private Letter from Ratisbon.

The *Proteſtant* Intereſt in the Empire is reduced to ſo low an Ebb, that it will be very difficult, not to ſay impoſſible, for it to recover its pridine Glory. Since the Peace of *Utrecht*, there have been whole Volumes of religious Grievances collected by the Evangelick Body, divided into Claſſes, and laid at the Foot of the *Imperial* Throne. They have moreover made Remonſtrances, which painted in their proper Colours the crying Injuſtice and cruel Perſecutions of the *Roman Catholick* Princes, ſtirred up againſt their *Proteſtant* Subjects by the Jeſuites and other Prieſts. The Jeſuites even glory in this; and having made Collections of the Complaints of the *Proteſtants* againſt their Society, they convey them to the Pontificial Footſtool, as the moſt illuſtrious Trophies of their Order. It was well hoped, that in ſuch a Republick as *Germany*, the Head of the E——, who does not, upon other Occaſions, ſuffer his Authority to be ſpurned, nor his Decrees to be diſobeyed, would have readily heard both Parties, and redreſſed the Grievances complained of: The rather, becauſe he could not want Rules to go by in this Caſe, ſo long as the Treaties of *Oſnabrug* and *Paſſau*, and other Treaties of Religion, are ſubſiſting. Nevertheleſs, the Grievances of the *Proteſtants* are ſo far from being redreſſed, that the Catalogue of them increaſes every Day. The *Palatinate*, the Duchy of *Deuxponts*, the Biſhoprick of *Worms*, and the Archbiſhoprick of *Saltzburg*, grown under Perſecution to this Day. Children are taken from their Parents; Witneſs the *Centgrafs*, and the *Aufers*: The Odium of *Proteſtantiſm* influences even private Affairs; Witneſs that of the Reſtitution of *Zwingenberg*. Juſtice is demanded on all Sides; but as yet no where to be had; neither in the Dyet, nor in the Aulick Council, nor at the E—— Throne. The Archbiſhop of *Saltzburgh*, amazed to find two Thirds of his Subjects *Proteſtants*, commences a barbarous Perſecution againſt them, equally contrary to the Laws of Humanity, and to thoſe of Chriſtianity, and we may add, even of the Empire itſelf. They implore the Protection of the Treaties; they appeal to the E—— for Juſtice: The Archbiſhop's crying Injuſtice, and his Violation of the Laws, Treaties and Conſtitutions, are proved as clear as the Meridian Sun: What is the Conſequence? Why, that Prelate's vile Inſinuations (which have ſince appeared to be utterly falſe) gained Credit preferably to the Remonſtrances of the Evangelick Body. The E—— himſelf, that Head of the E——, who, as ſupreme Judge, ſhould be impartial, lent his Troops to the Archbiſhop to ſeize his Subjects, to dragoon them, to ſhut up all their Paſſes: Nay the very Deputies ſent by thoſe perſecuted People to *Vienna*, to lay their Caſe before the E——, and to imploré his Juſtice, were ſeized and impriſoned at *Lintz*. At laſt the Sun of Righteouſneſs aroſe, and diſcovered the iniquitous Conduct of that Prelate and his Council, and expoſed the Blackneſs of it to the inmoſt Receſſes of the *Favorita* and the Chancery of *Vienna*. What then? Did they now act with greater Vigour? Thoſe who had furniſhed Troops to perſecute the Innocent, did they ſend any to do them Juſtice? Was an *Imperial* Commiſſion named, or Subdelegates appointed? Was the refractory Biſhop obliged to obey the Laws of the Empire, and the *Imperial* Mandates? He laughed at both with Impunity! He reduced to a few Months the Term of ſome Years, which is allowed by the Treaty of *Weſtphalia* to thoſe who are determined to claim the *Jus emigrandi*, the rueful Privilege of abandoning their Country, and baniſhing themſelves for ever! Fifteen or 20,000 *Proteſtants* were obliged to do this in the Depth of Winter! All *Europe* ecchoed their Groans! Their Eſtates were confiſcated, their Children forced from them, and even ſome of their Wives! Was any Step taken effectually to relieve theſe poor People, and to do them Juſtice? Some *Proteſtant* Princes had Courage enough to threaten to uſe Reprizals, allowed in a Caſe ſo evident as this, of a Denial of Juſtice: But what an Outcry was preſently made of Tyranny and Injuſtice? Whereas had a *Roman Catholick* Prince not only threatned, but made ſuch Reprizals upon the *Proteſtant* Subjects in his Dominions, far from raiſing a Clamour, his Conduct would have been cried up by the Jeſuites and their Friends, as the moſt juſt and equitable in the World. Such is the preſent Situation of the *Proteſtants* in the Empire, where there is not one *Roman Catholick* Subject, that has any Complaint to make againſt the *Proteſtant* Prince under whom he lives: An Effect this, of the Maxims of their Religion, which do not authorize ſuch Oppreſſion.

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